

TABLE 5-10E. TEN LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AND PERCENT OF DEATHS BY SEX
- **BLACK** - CALIFORNIA, 2001 (By Place of Residence)

(Causes of death are coded to the **Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases.**)

RANK	CAUSE OF DEATH	ICD CODES (Rev. 10)	TOTAL DEATHS	PERCENT ¹
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	18,021	100.0
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	5,351	29.7
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	4,050	22.5
3	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES	I60-I69	1,335	7.4
4	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	715	4.0
5	DIABETES	E10-E14	704	3.9
6	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES	J40-J47	652	3.6
7	ASSAULT (Homicide)	X85-Y09, Y87.1	635	3.5
8	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	480	2.7
9	HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS DISEASE	B20-B24	385	2.1
10	HYPERTENSION	I10, I12	302	1.7
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	3,412	
MALES:				
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	9,364	100.0
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	2,644	28.2
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	2,114	22.6
3	ASSAULT (Homicide)	X85-Y09, Y87.1	551	5.9
4	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	I60-I69	545	5.8
5	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	459	4.9
6	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES	J40-J47	361	3.9
7	DIABETES	E10-E14	309	3.3
8	HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS DISEASE	B20-B24	291	3.1
9	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	231	2.5
10	CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS	K70, K73-K74	146	1.6
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	1,713	
FEMALES:				
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	8,657	100.0
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	2,707	31.3
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	1,936	22.4
3	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	I60-I69	790	9.1
4	DIABETES	E10-E14	395	4.6
5	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES	J40-J47	291	3.4
6	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	256	3.0
7	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	249	2.9
8	HYPERTENSION	I10, I12	161	1.9
9	ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE	G30	148	1.7
10	NEPHRITIS	N00-N07, N17-N19, N25-N27	117	1.4
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	1,607	

Note: Beginning in 2000, up to three races were reported on deaths certificates. The Black race/ethnic group excludes 2 or more race groups, as well as decedents of Hispanic origin.
These groups are only comparable with the year 2000 data tables. See Chapter 6.

¹ Percents are rounded independently and may not add up to totals.

Source: State of California, Department of Health Services, Death Records.